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My name is Pompon Pawn,
And I will gladly tell,
Of the strange land I inhabit
And have come to know so well.

I have a full head of spiky hair,

And I'm still just a preschooler,

But this land, one day, if I get my way,

Shall be mine, and I, its ruler.

When you're older, who will you be?
Will you just lay around and watch TV?
I know what I want, I'm leaving this town,
To make it big, and wear a Queen's crown.

Inside my head these dreams of power,
Grow day by day, louder and louder
When it's time to charge forward, my heart will know,
And I'll yell at the top of my lungs and go.











